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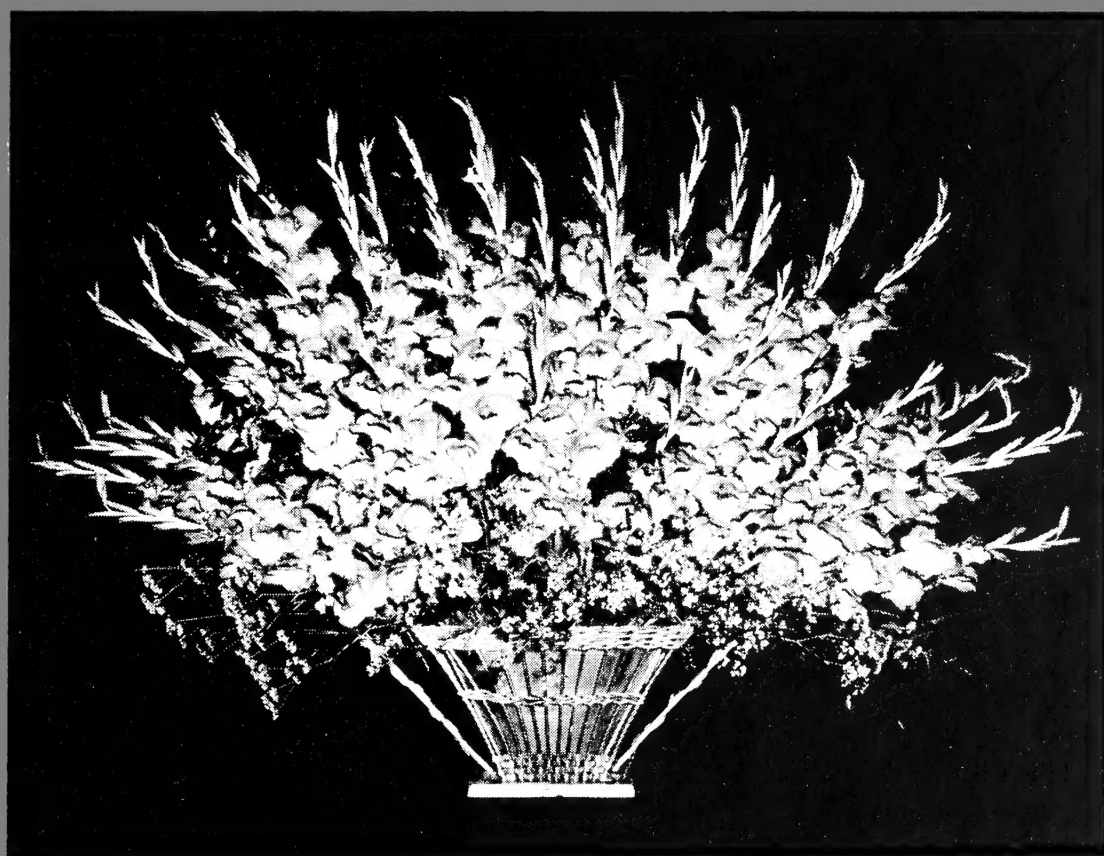
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# *Glad Gay Acres*

ELEVATION

1952



**E. BANE SNYDER**

**SNYDER AT VIRGINIA AVE. HAGERSTOWN, MD.**

## FOREWORD

The opportunity of presenting our 1952 catalog gives us much pleasure. We hope you will give it your careful consideration, and that it will be helpful to you in deciding to try some of the varieties herein listed and described.

1952 will add up to twenty-one years of Glad growing for us, and this is our tenth annual catalog issued. We are proud to say that during all these years of shipping bulbs **WE HAVE NEVER RECEIVED A SINGLE COMPLAINT REGARDING THE QUALITY OF OUR BULBS**, but are receiving more and more letters from our customers complimenting us on the nice, clean, healthy bulbs we sent them and our generous count and extras.

We thank all our costumers for the orders sent us during the past and for the nice letters we have received from them. **KINDLY ACCEPT OUR DEEPEST APPRECIATION.** We pledge to continue our policy to merit your confidence during the years to come.

To those who have never sent us an order, **WON'T YOU GIVE US A TRIAL? WE GUARANTEE SATISFACTION!**

### OUR BUSINESS POLICY:

We do not substitute unless instructed to do so. On orders totaling less than \$2.50, please add 25c extra to cover cost of packing and postage. All retail orders totaling \$2.50 or more will be delivered free anywhere in the United States. Wholesale orders, f. o. b., Hagerstown, Maryland. No bulblet orders accepted after April 1st. All orders subject to prior sale. We promptly acknowledge all orders received. All orders to be paid in full before shipment. Where items are quoted 2 for 25 cents or 2 for 30 cents, etc., please do not order a smaller amount at a lower price. However, please be assured that no order is too small to receive our careful attention.

### WHOLESALE PRICES:

10 bulbs will be sold at 8 times the price per each, unless otherwise quoted.

100 bulbs will be sold at 8 times the price for 10.

5 bulbs at the 10 rate — 25 bulbs at the 100 rate.

Write us for prices on larger lots — or send us your want list for quotations, stating quantity and size of bulbs interested in.

### BULB SIZES:

Bulbs listed, is diameter in inches, as follows: **LARGE** 1¼ inches and up, most 1½ to 1¾. **MEDIUM** ¾ to 1¼. **SMALL** ¼ to ¾. Large bulbs produce the better spikes and bloom; medium, not so big; and small bulbs produce still smaller bloom. Some varieties of bulblets will bloom if planted early and season is favorable. some are difficult to germinate. For small lots of high priced bulblets, we recommend peeling them very carefully just befor planting. **CULTURAL DIRECTIONS ON PAGE TEN.**

### EXTRAS:

We have always given generously in both count and extras. We believe this is much better than figuring discounts and we are sure that you will be well pleased.

Why not pay us a visit; we are always glad to receive visitors, shake their hand and show them through our plantings. We have 17 acres within the city limits and are easy to locate. Greatest number of varieties should be blooming between August 15th and September 15th; however, you will always see something worth while from August 1st on.

Most truly yours,

*E. Bane Snyder*

## 1952 Introductions

# ELEVATION

**ELEVATION**—Class 442 (Picardy x Beacon) Seedling PB4.

Deep Pink with yellow throat, up to 72 inches tall and no crooks, 8—4¾ in. florets open on an 18 bud, 25 inch flower head, good facing, good substance and good attachment. Named for its uniform height, **ELEVATION** is the easiest cutter in our fields. You can cut nice long spikes without disturbing the foliage. Makes fine-looking disease resistant bulbs, and lots of bulblets that germinate readily. Plant is a strong grower. Blooms in 90-95 days.

Extra good for basket work (see picture on front cover).

# DREAMLAND

**DREAMLAND** has won (A) ratings in the seedling class at two or more shows.

Apple blossom pink with garnet throat blot, 55 inches and more tall, 6—4 in. florets open on a 25 in. flower head of 18 buds. Does not crook, good facing, good texture, good attachment, and a good producer of nice bulbs with lots of bulblets that germinate easily. Extra good commercial and show table variety. **DREAMLAND** has won (A) ratings in the seedling class at two or more shows. Blooms in 80 days.

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Both the above varieties have won a lot of blue ribbons in the open classes at Eastern shows and are A1 in every way. The florists take all available spikes.

We have a nice lot of bulbs of each, hence the low introductory price.

ANY SIZE BULB \$1.00 — BULBLETS 10 for \$1.00, 100 for \$8.00

(Catalogers and growers unit prices on request)

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## OUR PREVIOUS INTRODUCTIONS

### MELLOW MOON

**MELLOW MOON**—Class 420 (King Midas x Leading Lady) Seedling KMPC8.

A beautiful light orange, nearly self color, for which the name **MELLOW MOON** is a natural and best describes its mellow glowing color. Truly a new era in golden color which is entirely different.

Opens eight good facing well attached 4¾ to 5½ inch florets with good substance on a 18 to 20 bud 28 to 30 inch flower head with six buds showing color. Medium very stiff spike, grows 60 inches and more tall. Florets are nicely ruffled and waved. Opens to tip of spike when cut in tight bud.

Produces large amount of bulblets which germinate easily making fine-looking bulbs. Tops for both exhibition and commercial growing.

Blooms in 80 to 85 days.

For a new variety—**MELLOW MOON** has won a lot of blue ribbons. Under seedling number KMPC8 it won a blue ribbon in the three spike seedling class at Madison, Wisconsin. Show, 1948. During 1949 at the Maryland State Show, Havre de Grace, it received an A rating in the seedling class, and a blue ribbon in the basket class. At the Eastern International Show, Binghamton, N. Y., under seedling number it won a blue ribbon in the basket class (as per picture on back).

During 1950 **MELLOW MOON** won blue ribbons in the single spike class at the Iowa State show and the Keystone Pennsylvania show.

Judging from the great number of favorable comments received, **MELLOW MOON** is sure to go over in a big way.

Per each: L—\$1.00; M—.75; S—.50

10—\$8.00; 50—\$6.00; 100—\$4.00

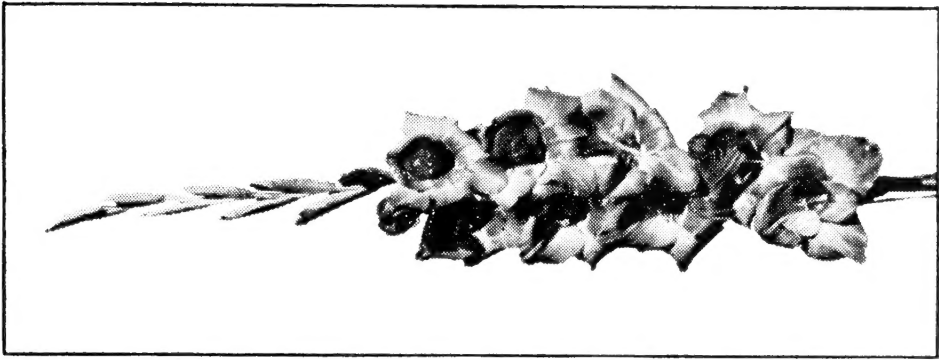
Bbts.: 3 for 30; 10 for .75; 100 for \$6.00

**(Rewi Fallu x (Vagabond Prince x Beacon))**

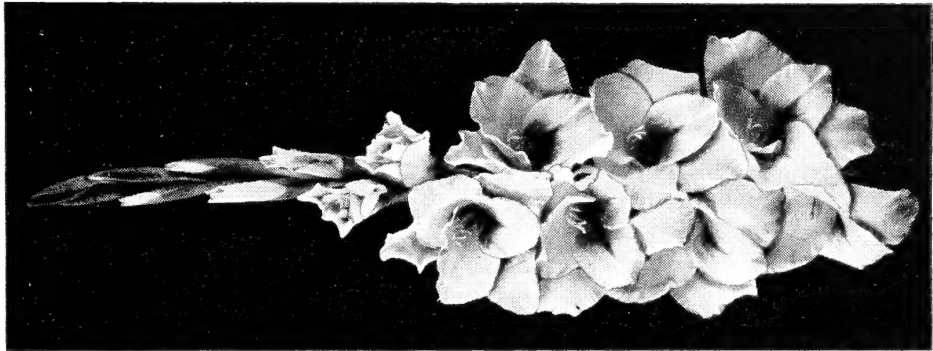
**ANTIETAM** is a real glad for both show table and commercial growing; cuts nice large spikes from medium and small bulbs. **ANTIETAM** opens fine when cut in bud and is a good keeper; one of the very few varieties that doesn't suncook or rain spot—and no crooks!

For larger quantities see wholesale list.

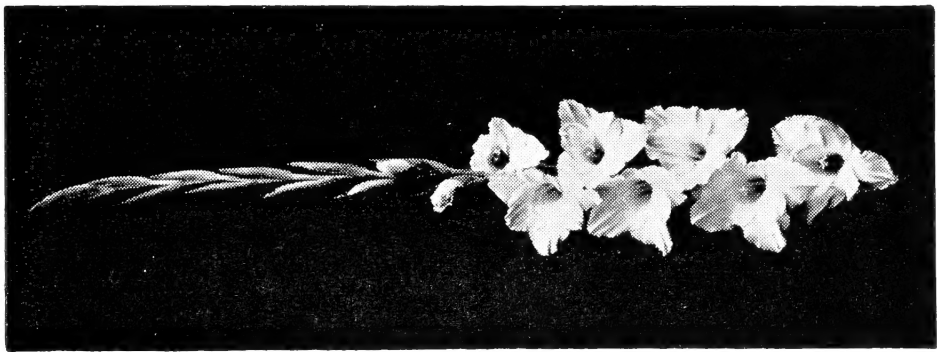
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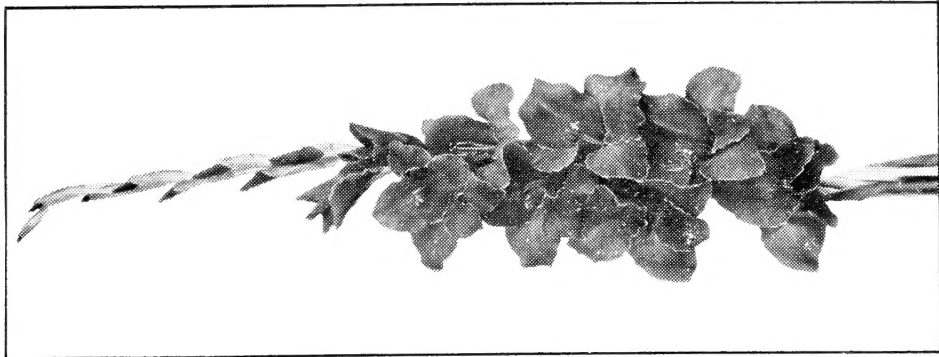
ORANGE PRINCE



SILVER STAR



SNOWSHEEN



ANTIETAM

## OTHER GOOD VARIETIES YOU SHOULD GROW

	Per	Bulbs			Bulblets	
		Large	Medium	Small	Per	
ABIGAIL (Myers) 366—A glorified Minuet opens 7 or more 4½ inch florets on tall straight spike. A good propagator.	2 10	.25	4-.25	.25	100	.50
ANNA MAE (Pommert) (400) 70—The earliest of the pure whites. Opens 6 large blooms on a medium tall spike. Valuable as a cut flower due to its earliness and whiteness. Soft texture.	3 10	.25 .65	5-.25 .40	.25	100	.25
ALGONQUIN (Palmer) 536—A fine scarlet, opens 8 or more large ruffled florets, has won many blue ribbons, also a good commercial.	3 10	.25 .65	5-.25 .40	8-.25 .30	100	.25
ANTIETAM (E. B. Snyder) 454—1948 Introduction. Don't pass this up. See page 2 for description	1 10	.35 2.80	.25 2.00	2-.35 1.40	10 100	.35 2.50
ASTRID (Jack) 560—Distinctive clear medium rose with a narrow throat line and slight feather. One of the best varieties in its color. Early.	1 10		2-.25 1.00	4-.25 .50	20 100	.25 1.00
BEAUTY'S BLUSH (Fischer 47) 440—85. A cool, soft, blushing pink that has a lot of sparkle. Tall, stiff, wiry stems reveal the stalwart character of this lovely flower. Seven or eight large 5 inch florets are neatly arranged on a tall 18 to 20 bud spike. Above is originator's description.	2 10	.25 1.00	4-.25 .50	6-.25 .35	100	.30
BIG TOP (Rich) (541) 85.—One of the largest glads. Deep pink with a small carmine throat. Blooms are loosely attached but it is very impressive when well grown. This is really a big one.	2 10	.25 1.00	4-.25 .50	6-.25 .35	100	.30
BINGO (Canine) 517—Large cream tinted pink, sport of Picardy, good grower and propagator.	3 10	.25 .70	5-.25 .50	8-.25 .30	100	.35
BIRCH RED (Rich 45) 552—90 days. Large pure deep red. Its sparkling beauty, purity of color, habits and vigorous growth place it at the head of its class. Opens 7 on a 19 bud spike.	10		2-.30 1.20	3-.25 .70	15 100	.30 1.00
BRIDAL ORCHID (Carlson) 566—A very strong growing pastel lavender of huge size. It will open up to 10 ruffled florets on long flowerheads of up to 24 buds. Grows very tall and will open to the tip when cut in tight bud. Good propagator and bulblets make vigorous growth. Does exceptionally well from small bulbs and bulblets. Winner of three American Home Achievement awards in 1950, it is a strong contender for high honors. Should make a very fine commercial. Grand Champion at LeRoy, Illinois show (1950).	1 10			.75 6.00	1 10 100	.25 1.75 10.00



	Per	Bulbs			Bulblets	
		Large	Medium	Small	Per	
BURMA (Palmer) 562—Large ruffled deep rose, a beauty and one you should grow. Something fine and different.	3 10	.25 .65	5-.25 .40	8-.25 .30	100	.25
CHOCTAW (Wilson) (491) 90.—Light orange chocolate with a deep orange bltch. Opens up to 10 blooms on a medium tall spike. One of the best smokies.	1		.30	.20	15 100	.25 1.50
CONVOY (Palmer) 570—Large rich pure purple slightly ruffled, very good grower.	2 10	.25 1.00	4-.25 .50	6-.25	100	.50
CORONA (Palmer) 560—Large cream with rose picotte edge. A real beauty. Many championships to its credit. Extra heavy propagator.	3 10	.30 .80	4-.25 .50	6-.25 .35	100	.25
DAISY MAE (Lins-Ruble) 521—Large orange pink with cherry blotch. A fine exhibition and coming comemrcial.	2 10	.25 1.00	4-.25 .50	.35	100	.30
DIEPPE (Hassel) 432—Firey salmon scarlet. Big attractive spikes. A fine variety.	2 10	.25 1.00	4-.25 .50	.25	100	.25
DUSTY MILLER (Elliott) 486—85. A fine smoky with excellent growing habits. It opens up to 9 florets of bluish-gray with a blending of scarlet and cream in the throat. Dusty Miller is a consistent winner in the smoky class. Heavy increaser.	2 10	.25 1.00	4-.25 .50		100	.35
ELIZABETH THE QUEEN (White) 566—Large ruffled lavender, opens 8. A consistent show winer. A beauty; don't miss it!	3 10	.25 .75	5-.25 .50	.25	100 $\frac{1}{2}$ pt.	.30 1.25
ETHEL CAVE COLE (Cave) 440—Large light pink, 8 open. One of the best cut flowers.	3 10	.25 .65	5-.25 .40	.25	100	.25
FAIR ANGEL (Hatch) 400—Fine big ruffled cream. Exhibition type. Winner of many blue ribbons.	3 10	.25 .65	5-.25 .40			
FIREBIRD (Kuhn 47) 436—75. A fine commercial red that is identical to fire in color. Opens 8 on a 20 to 24 bud spike. Grows up to 55 inches tall.	2 10	.30 1.20	3-.30 .80	5-.25 .40	15 100	.25 1.00
FLORENCE NIGHTINGALE (Harris 47) 400—88. A fine performing clear white shading into light cream throat. It opens up to 8 beautifully ruffled florets on a well balanced flower-head. Plants grow very tall. A nice cutter that has good growing habits. Fast increaser and fine grower from bulb-lets.	2 10	.30 1.20	4-.30 .75	6-.30 .40	25 100	.25 .75
FRIENDSHIP (Fischer) 442— A beautiful shade of pure pink, blending to a waxy white and cream throat. Very early.	2 10	.30 1.20	4-.30 .60	6-.30 .40	25 100	.25 .50
GENERAL EISENHOWER (Salman) (542). Brilliant shade of begonia rose. Huge blooms. Opens 8-10. Strong tall grower. Late.	2 10	.25 1.00	3-.25 .60	6-.25 .35	100	.30

	Per	Bulbs			Bulblets	
		Large	Medium	Small	Per	
GLAMIS (Palmer) 530—Beautiful clear light rose with white throat. Nicely ruffled pointed petals. A real beauty.	3 10	.25 .80	5-.25 .50		100	.25
GRATITUDE (Fischer 46) 424—75. Tall salmon-orange with sharp yellow throat blotch. Opens 5 or 6 on a tall, straight wire-like stem. Blooms well from all sizes.	3 10	.25 .65	6-.25 .35	10-.25	100	.30
GRETA GARBO (Pfitzer) 440—Fine large soft rose pink. Tall, strong grower. A real Glad.	3 10	.25 .65	5-.25 .40	.35	100	.25
HEART'S DESIRE (Fiedler 48) 540—80. Heavily ruffled large light pink shading to white with yellow throat. Strong husky grower. Opens 6-8 six inch florets on a 20 bud spike. One of the very best and a heavy show winner.	1 10	.30 4.00	.25 3.50	2-.30 3.00	15 100	.40 2.00
HIGH FINANCE (Wilson) (580) 95. Tall late blooming orange grey smoky blending to a lighter throat. Opens up to 8 blooms. One of the finest smokies.	2 10	.25 1.00	3-.25 .60	6-.25 .35	100	.30
INTRUDER (Graff) 536—Giant light red. Up to 10 open on a 60 inch spike. Good show record.	1 10	.25 2.00	2-.30 1.20	4-.35 .60	15 100	.30 1.50
KENWOOD (Lines 43) 452—80. A brilliant smooth red with no marks, blotches, or flecking. It opens up to 6 plain petaled florets on an average spike. Good propagator and easy grower from bulblets.	10 2	1.00 .25	.65 3-.25	.40 4-.20	100	.50
KESTRAL (Palmer) (420) 80. Tall light orange with a yellow throat. Opens 8 blooms on a slender spike. Unique triangular shaped florets. Foliage yellows prematurely, but bulbs come clean.	2 10	.25 1.00	3-.25 .60	6-.25 .35	100	.30
KING DAVID (Carlson) (570). A deep purple shading to a velvet red throat. A greatly improved King Lear.	1	3.00	2.50	2.00	1 10	.30 2.50
LEADING LADY (Johnston) 506—This beautiful cream sport of Picardy was the top show winner again during 1950.	3 10	.25 .65	5-.25 .40	.25	100	.25
MARATHON (Lawrenson) 410. Tall strong growing light buff with small red throat mark. Originator claims it opens and ships as well as Picardy. We grew it last summer and had tall spikes with up to 36" flower-heads. Good commercial prospect.	1 10	1.00 8.00	.60 4.80	.40 3.20	4 10 100	.25 .50 4.00
MARYLAND MAID (E. B. Snyder) 440—Clear pure pink cream throat and white mid-ribs. One of our 1945 introductions. Formal type. Open 6 to 8—4½ inch florets on 18 bud flower head. Blooms in 75 days. One of the better pure pinks. Good commercial.	2 10	.25 1.00	4-.30 .60	6-.30 .40	50 100	.30 .50

	Per	Bulbs			Bulblets	
		Large	Medium	Small	Per	
MELLOW MOON 420—Our 1950 introduction. See page 1 for description.	1 10	1.00 8.00	.75 6.00	.50 4.00	3 10 100	.30 .75 6.00
MID AMERICA (550) Knierim '47 (85) A clear brilliant light red that produces massive spikes, even from small bulbs. It opens up to 9 huge florets that measure up to 7 inches. Heavy bulblet producer and robust grower from bulblets.	2 10	.30 1.20	3-.30 .80	.50	25 100	.30 1.00
MISS WISCONSIN (Krueger) 460—Claimed by many to be the best light rose pink. 8 open on good stright spike.	3 10	.25 .65	5-.25 .40	.25	100	.35
MOONSTONE (Canine) 416—Sport of Picardy. Good grower and propagator. A beautiful Glad. The name is a natural.	3 10	.30 .75	4-.25 .50	.30	100	.50
MY DEAR (Sisson) (440). A ruffled shell pink with a deeper throat. Opens 7-8 wide-open florets on a 22 bud spike. Uniformly straight spikes 55-60 inches tall. This is outstanding. Early.	1 10	.75 6.00	.50 4.00	.25 2.00	10 100	.40 3.00
MYRNA FAY (Lines 42) 466—85. An Attractive medium shade of lavender, often flecked deeper. Opens 8 to 10 on a medium tall spike. It blooms well from all sizes and is extra good for early bloom.	2 10	.25 1.00	4-.25 .50	.40	100	.50
NANCY (Arnett) 452—Rich medium shade of red. Opens 7 well placed and firmly attached florets. An outstanding commercial and an excellent show variety. Mid-season.	10		3-.30 .80	4-.25 .50	25 100	.25 .60
OCTOBER SUNSHINE (Quackenbush) 420—Beautiful light orange shading to a yellow throat. Because of its beauty, its color value, its ability to open in water and its ease of propagation, it is of special interest to cut flower growers. Spike always straight. Early midseason.	2 10	.25 1.00	3-.25 .65	5-.25 .40	25 100	.25 .75
ORANGE GOLD (Marshall) 422—80. Clear orange self color. Opens up to 6 large round well placed and attached blooms on a tall vigorous plant.	3	.30	4-.25	6-.25	100	.35
ORANGE PRINCE (E. B. Snyder) 324—See page 2 for description.	2 10	.25 1.00	4-.30 .60	.50	50 100	.30 .50
ORIENTAL PEARL (Carlson-Puerner) 506—The giant of the creams. Strong grower. Good propagator. Claimed to be the wonder Glad.	3 10	.25 .65	5-.25 .40	.25	100	.25
PATRICIAN (Scheer) 566—85. Beautiful shade of lavender. Opens up to 7 very large well placed blooms on a medium tall straight spike. Has fine commercial and exhibition qualities.	1 10	.25 2.00	2-.30 1.20	3-.35	25 100	.25 .75

	Per	Bulbs			Bulblets	
		Large	Medium	Small	Per	
PHANTOM BEAUTY (Bastian) 440—Lovely clear blush pink that opens 9 to 12 five-inch blooms; perfect placement. A very outstanding show glad and a fine grower. Also recommended as a commercial.	10		3-.25 .60	.35	100	.50
PHAROAH (Higgins) (530) A glowing pink salmon with yellow throat. Tall strong plant. Recommended as a commercial. Late midseason.	1 10	.75 6.00	.50 4.00	.25 2.00	6 100	.30 4.00
PICARDY (Palmer) 530—If you can't grow those good tall prize winning spikes like you once did—try some of our special strain which we have been selecting for years. Disease free bulbs that really produce.	3 10 100	.25 .65	5-.25 .40	.25 2.00	100 ½ pt. 1 pt. 1 qt.	.25 1.00 1.75 3.00
PINK RADIANCE (Quackenbush) 440—Pure light pink without markings except a touch of carmine deep in the throat. Opens 6 to 10 florets on a spike carrying from 16 to 18 buds. Excellent placement and attachment. A good show variety and commercial cut flower. Midseason.	3 10	.25 .65	5-.25 .40	.25	100	.35 .35
PREVIEW (Marshall 48) 462—85. Large brilliant cerise-rose blending to white in the throat. Strong healthy plants with 7 open on long flowerheads. Preview is different.	2	.25	3-.25	6-.25	15 100	.25 1.25
RED CHARM (Butt) (452) 85. Medium deep red opening up to 9 blooms on a tall spike. Reliable growing cut flower.	2 10	.25 1.00	3-.25 .60	6-.25 .35	100	.30
RED CHERRY (Roberts 46) 450—70. A brilliant cherry red with a slightly deeper throat. It opens seven large blooms on a tall spike, and blooms early. DON'T MISS RED CHERRY.	2 10	.35	3-.25	4-.25 .50	25 100	.25 .75
RED WING (Wright) 436—A beautiful scarlet red increasing in density deep in the throat. It opens 8-10 florets on a tall spike. This is unquestionably one of the best. For years to come this will be a living memorial to a wonderful fellow, and one of my best friends.	1 10		.35 8.00	.25 4.00	5 10 100	.25 .40 3.00
RIDGELEY (Dr. Stevens) 470—95. Huge late blooming deep purple. Opens up to 7 huge blooms on a tall husky spike. Fine exhibition type purple. Very attractive.	1 10	.50 4.00	.30 2.40	2-.30 1.20	10 100	.40 3.00
SHERWOOD (570) Pruitt '48 (80)—A rich shade of reddish purple that opens up to 7 ruffled blooms that are nicely placed on a tall spike. Sherwood is a healthy vigorous growing variety that produces lot of bulblets that make excellent growth. Will become very popular.	1 10		.20 1.50	2-.25 1.00	25 100	.40 1.25
SILVER STAR (E. B. Snyder) 401—See page 2 for description.	2 10	.25 1.00	4-.25 .50	.25	50 100	.30 .50

	Per	Bulbs			Bulblets	
		Large	Medium	Small	Per	
SILVER WING (Ritsema) 500 — Another creamy white sport of Picardy. A little whiter and more ruffled than Leading Lady.	3 10	.25 .80	5-.25 .50	.30	50 100	.30 .50
SKYWAY (440) Stevens '48 (75). An excellent early blooming clear pink shading into creamy white on the lower petals. A tall healthy grower, it opens up to 7 florets on a nice spike. Good producer of easily germinating bulblets. Valuable because of its earliness and fine color.	1 10	.75 6.00	.50 4.00	.25 2.00	3 100	.30 .75 5.00
SNOW PRINCESS (Pfitzer) 400—Large white has a good show record; also a good commercial.	3 10	.25 .75	.50	.30	100	.25
SNOWSHEEN (E. B. Snyder) 300—See page 2 for description.	3 10	.30 .75	5-.30 .45	.30	50 100	.25 .40
SPARKS (Glass) 507—Tall creamy yellow with an explosive blotch effect of orange-scarlet. Opens 7 large fluted florets. A very fine variety. Late mid-season.	2 10	.25 1.00	4-.25 .50	.25	25 100	.25 .75
SPIC & SPAN (Carlson) 432—80 days. A tall ruffled pink that opens ten with eight more showing color. The placement is excellent and the spikes are tall and straight. It has won many Grand Championships and is a fine commercial.	2 10	.25 1.00	4-.25 .50	.25	25 100	.25 .75
SPOTLIGHT (Palmer) 413—The best all purpose yellow. A deep yellow with scarlet blotch. A beauty. Don't pass this one up.	3 10	.25 .65	5-.25 .40	.25	100	.25
SPRING SONG (Kadle 48) 466—70. A large early lavender. Florets are ruffled and have a deeper throat marking. Has a 27 inch flowerhead with 16 to 20 buds. Always straight with 50 inch spikes. Should become a good commercial.	1 10	.20 1.60	2-.30 1.20	3-.30 .80	20 100	.25 1.00
SUNLIGHT (Spiller 46) 416—87. This glad has large heavily ruffled florets of brilliant light orange, shading to a golden center. Tall grower and will make a wonderful cut flower. Beautiful.	1 10	.25 2.00	2-.30 1.20		15 100	.25 1.00
SUNSPOT (Roberts) 417—Light apricot-buff with rose spot in throat. 7-9 open, 5 inches in diameter, ruffled. Propagates well, germinates nearly 100 per cent and wins consistently. Many championships.	1 10	.25 2.00	2-.25 1.00	4-.25 .50	25 100	.25 .75
SUSQUEHANNA (Herridge) 416 — Beautiful apricot buff with cream throat. One of my favorites and one you should grow.	3 10	.25 .65	5-.25 .40	.25	100	.25
TROCADERO (Lins 46) 422—87. Both for color and performance Trocadero has won favor with growers. Color is warm carrot-orange. The 5 to 6 inch florets are well placed on a long flowerhead.	1 10	.25 3.20	2-.40 2.40			

	Per	Bulbs			Bulblets	
		Large	Medium	Small	Per	Per
<b>VELVET MANTLE</b> (Fischer 49) 454—85. A velvety dark red that opens up to 8 florets on long flowerheads. Strong healthy grower and the color does not burn in the field. Excellent propagator of easily germinating bulblets. Makes fine bulbs. Does best from large bulbs.	1 10	.25 2.00	2-.25 1.00	4-.25 .50	25 100	.25 .80
<b>VENIDA</b> (Milo) 460—90. Clear rose with a deep cream blotch. Opens 8 well placed blooms on a tall spike. Fine spikes from all sizes and a very good cut flower.	1 10	.25 2.00	2-.40 1.50	2-.30 1.20	15 100	.25 1.50
<b>WAR PAINT</b> (Kadel 47) 436—85. This has 10 large scarlet florets open on a 22 bud spike. It is 55 inches tall and has a 27 inch flower-head. Winner of the American Home achievement medal and a sensational glad.	1 10	.25 2.00	2-.35 1.40	2-.25 1.00	10 100	.25 2.00
<b>WEDGEWOOD</b> (Fischer) 366 — Fine clean blue lavender with pure cream throat. Very ruffled. One of the choicest varieties.	3 10	.25 .65	5-.25 .40	.25	100	.30
<b>WILMA DITTMAN</b> (Maier 49) 516—A clear buff with faint scarlet lines deep in the throat. Petals of heavy texture and nicely frilled. Grows 5 feet tall with 20 buds, of which 8 six inch florets are open in perfect placement. Should be a good show glad.	1 10	.75 6.00	.50 4.00			

## GLADIOLUS CULTURE

Note: The following instructions apply to average normal growing conditions; should unusual soil or climatic conditions prevail, the amateur gladiolus grower should consult his County Agricultural Agent or a local gladiolus grower.

**Stock for Planting:** Secure healthy stock from a reliable source specializing in quality gladiolus bulbs. Look over all Bulbs and discard any that show signs of rot. Maximum size blooms usually are obtained from large plump bulbs; better results can be expected from young high-crowned bulbs of at least 1-inch in diameter than from older and larger "thin" bulbs. As a safe-guard against thrips all bulbs, regardless of source, should be dusted with DDT (5%) as soon as received by the purchaser. (We guarantee our bulbs to be healthy and free of thrip when you receive them, but if they are placed in close proximity to bulbs already infested, they may become infested also).

**Dips:** Dips control disease. Dip your own bulbs and those you buy, before planting. Two proven formulas: New Improved Ceresan, one ounce (approximately 4 level tablespoons) plus 3 teaspoon measures duPont (Grasselli) Spreader Sticker or Dreft to 3 gallons water. Mix N.I.C. in sauce dish with Spreader Sticker, use wooden ladle (keep fingers out, poison to skin in this concentrated form), then add to 3 gallons water. (Okay for hands to be in this weakened solution.) Soak bulbs 15 minutes, plant in damp soil same day. Bulblets not peeled, 30 minutes, peeled, 15 minutes. Plant same as above. Another dlp: Lysol, one and a half tablespoonfuls per gallon of water. Soak bulbs 3 hours, bulblets 3 hours. Plant same day.

**Planting:** Plant when your trees are leafing out and soil has warmed, and can be planted anytime till July 1st. Almost any soil will do if well drained. Plant in full sunshine, in rows as you would corn. Rows at least 18 inches apart. Plant large bulbs 4 to 6 inches deep, depending on soil. Light soil deepest, smaller bulbs in proportion. Bulblets one and a half inches deep, one inch apart in rows, not closer. Plant Gladiolus away from trees and buildings. Rotate plantings. Plant in same ground but once in four years. Any soil that will grow a good crop of vegetables or weeds is good for Gladiolus.

**Fertilizing:** Fertilize—yes and no, use your own judgment but never plant Gladiolus bulbs where they might touch green manure (any kind), or come in contact with fertilizer. Novice growers better let fertilizers alone.

**Cultivation:** Cultivate once a week not deeper than 2 inches. If it rains, repeat after soil becomes workable (so it will not clod). Keep your garden free of weeds, they take the same water and feed on the same elements as your Gladiolus.

**Watering:** After fourth or fifth leaf appears (four or five weeks before blooming), water once a week or ten days, one inch of water, if you don't get rain in that amount. Set a flat container in your patch. One inch of water in the container indicates one inch of water for that period. After bud spikes appear, same amount of water twice a week.

**Spraying:** Dust with D.D.T. 5% about once every ten days after plants are up 6 to 8 inches, or spray with 50% wettable D.D.T. one oz. in 3 gal. water. Repeat after a rain. Both control Thrips. Best time to dust, in evening when wind is down. Dust should be like light fog. If light breeze let dust float over patch, start to windward. Spraying can be done anytime during the day.

**Blooms:** Cut your blooms preferably in the morning when one or two florets are open. Use a small sharp narrow blade, run down spike, then cut through with a slanting cut. Be sure to leave four or five leaves on plant to mature bulb. Place spike in water, fresh water every day, cut off half inch of spike each day. Spike will open to tip. Use tips for floating table decorations, corsages. To keep for shows, place in cool basement; must have some ventilation.

**Digging:** Bulbs blooming in July can be dug six weeks after blooming. Those blooming in September will mature in four weeks. Dig plantings before ground freezes. Dig with a fork, lift out plant, cut top off flush with bulb, place in shallow trays (boxes) not over four inches deep. (Burn tops when dry.) Do not leave in hot sun, protect from frost. Dust with 5% D.D.T. After drying three to five weeks, remove old bulbs from new. Burn old bulbs. Do not remove husk from new bulb. When clean and dry, dust again thoroughly.

**Storing:** Store in cool, dry part of basement, 35° F., to 45° F. is about right. Bulbs stored under moist conditions will be more susceptible to disease and storage rot.

For further information and up to the minute developments and methods, join your local or state society and/or

The New England Gladiolus Society—Dues \$3.00

The North American Gladiolus Council—Dues \$1.50

If you wish to include with your order for bulbs—dues in either or both of the above societies, we will gladly see that your memberships are properly placed.

# **WHOLESALE PRICE LIST — NOT PREPAID**

We can supply most of the varieties in wholesale list by the 1000—especially in the smaller sizes. We shall be pleased to receive your “WANT LIST” for attractive quotations. F.O.B. Hagerstown, Md. 25 or more bulbs of same size and variety at the 100 rate, 250 or more at the 1000 rate. PINT of bulblets at quart rate. All subject to prior sales.

VARIETY — Per 100	Bulblets							Qt.
	Dry Measure							
	No. 1 1½" up	No. 2 1¼-1½"	No. 3 1-1¼"	No. 4 ¾-1"	No. 5 ½-¾"	No. 6 Under ½"	½ pt.	
ABIGAIL	5.00	4.00	3.00				2.00	6.00
ANNA MAE	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.50	2.25	1.75	1.25	4.00
ANTIETAM	22.00	18.00	15.00	12.00	10.00	8.00	10.00	30.00
BIG TOP	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.50	2.25	1.75	1.25	4.00
BINGO	5.00	4.50	4.00				2.00	6.00
BURMA	4.50	3.50			1.50	1.25	1.00	3.00
CHOCTAW			19.00	16.00	13.00	10.00	15.00	40.00
CORONA					2.00	1.50	1.50	4.00
DIEPPE			3.00	2.25	1.75	1.25	1.25	4.00
ELIZABETH THE QUEEN	4.50	4.00	3.00	2.00	1.50	1.00	1.25	4.00
FAIR ANGEL	4.00	3.50	2.50					
FLORENCE								
NIGHTINGALE	7.50	6.50	5.50	4.50	3.50	2.50	4.00	12.00
FIREBIRD	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00	1.50	1.50	5.00
GENERAL EISENHOWER	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.25	1.75	1.25	1.25	4.00
GOLDEN ARROW	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.25	1.75	1.25	1.25	4.00
GRATITUDE	5.00	4.00	3.50	3.00	2.50	2.00	1.25	4.00
LEADING LADY	4.50		2.50	2.00	1.50		1.00	3.00
MISS WISCONSIN	4.50	3.50	2.50				1.25	4.00
MYRNA FAY	5.00	4.00	3.50	3.00	2.50	2.00	1.50	5.00
NANCY				3.00	2.25	1.50	2.00	7.00
OCTOBER SUNSHINE	7.00	5.50	4.50	3.75	3.25	2.50	3.00	10.00
ORANGE GOLD			3.00	2.25	1.75	1.25	1.25	4.00
ORANGE PRINCE		5.00					½ pt.	2.50
PICARDY				2.50	2.00	1.25	1.00	3.00
PINK RADIANCE				2.50	2.00	1.50	1.00	3.00
PREVIEW		5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00	1.50	1.25	4.00
RED CHERRY			8.00	6.00	5.00	3.00	6.00	20.00
RED PENNY	5.00	4.50	3.00	2.25	1.75	1.25	1.00	3.00
SHERWOOD			10.00	8.00	6.00	4.00	6.00	20.00
SILVER WING	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.50	2.00	1.25	1.25	4.00
SNOWSHEEN	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00			1.50	5.00
SPARKS	7.00	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00	3.00	10.00
SPIC and SPAN	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.25	2.50	1.75	2.00	7.00
SPOTLIGHT		3.50	3.00	2.00	1.50	1.00	1.00	3.00
SUNLIGHT	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00				
SUNSPOT	10.00	8.00	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	5.00	15.00
SUSQUEHANNA	5.00	4.00					1.25	4.00
TITAN	6.00	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00	1.50	1.25	4.00
WAR PAINT	19.00	16.00	13.00	11.00	9.00	7.00	25.00	75.00
WHITE CHRISTMAS	4.50	3.50	2.50	2.00	1.50	1.00		

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"The order I received from you last spring was more than satisfactory. I am looking forward for next year's catalog."

H. Jacobsen — Washington

"Received order of bulbs in fine condition. Thanks for overcount and bulb of Antietam. I must say this, you do have good clean stock of bulbs. Will be sending for more next season."

Stephen Thompson — Pennsylvania

"I am enclosing check to cover order for bulbs. The bulbs I purchased from you last year were the cleanest bulbs I have purchased anywhere at any time. The flowers they produced were a delight to the eye."

Rev. W. C. Jamison — Virginia

"My order came thru OK. Thanks for the generous count and extras."

W. Neil Adams — Iowa

"Received the nice bulbs in perfect condition. I do thank you so much for your generosity and especially for the ANTIETAM; this I am giving a very special place in my garden. Thanks again."

Mrs. J. W. Miller — Virginia

"ANTIETAM turned out beautifully. I have seen a lot of reds at the show this year and it had them all stopped a mile in placement and pure color. Reserve me some medium."

E. L. Scully — New Jersey

"Enclosed is order for bulb and bulblets of your PB4 and RPB4. I saw your PB4 at the Lebanon show last August and liked it a lot. I liked it better than the basket of Spic and Span along side of it. I am a cut flower grower and I liked the number of flowers it had opened."

E. G. Blacker — Pennsylvania

NOTE: PB4 is now named ELEVATION and RPD4 is now DREAMLAND.

"Happy to inform you that your ANTIETAM won for me first place in the Glad display of the recent flower show of the Garden Club of Harrisburg."

William A. Fenical, Jr. — Pennsylvania

"We are so proud of the bulbs you sent us. You were very generous and we thank you so much."

Mrs. W. B. Cantieri — Virginia



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